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	A Preliminary Amendment.					
\boxtimes	An Amendment Responsive to the Office Action Dated September 8, 2005.					
	An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed .					
	A Substitute Specification (pages 1 -) in clean form.					
	A substitute specification (pages 1 -) with markings.					
	An Abstract is enclosed.					
\boxtimes	One replacement sheet of drawings is enclosed comprising of figure 5.					
<u> </u>	Request is hereby made to accept black and white photograph(s) in this case, as they are the only practicable medium for illustrating the claimed invention. One (1) set o black and white photographs comprising figure(s) is submitted herewith.					
	Petition is hereby made to accept drawing(s)/photograph(s) in this case.					

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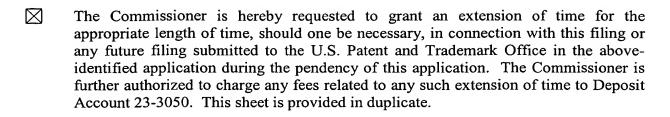
03/10/2006 WABDELR1 00000125 10079011 01 FC:2253 510 **DOCKET NO.: OPGA-0002 PATENT** Three (3) sets of color drawing(s)/photograph(s) and black and white photocopy that accurately depicts to the extent possible, the subject matter shown in the color drawing(s)/photograph(s), are enclosed, comprising figures An amendment to the first paragraph in that portion of the Brief Description of the Drawings is also enclosed herewith advising that the patent contains at least one drawing/photograph in color. A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed. An Assignee Power of Attorney is enclosed. Information Disclosure Statement. Attached Form 1449. A copy of each reference as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith. A Terminal Disclaimer is attached. Appendices as follows: Other No Additional Fee is Due. Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27. Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 as This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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\boxtimes	Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) (fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of September 8, 2005 to and through March 8, 2006 comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of three months.

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